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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION TO SUSPEND ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.103

This Petition accompanies a Continuation Patent Application (CPA) Request Transmittal.

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to suspend prosecution of the referenced patent application until the Appeal of US patent application Serial No. 08/846,089, is finally resolved. Suspension of prosecution of this Continuation Patent Application would permit the Board to be heard on issues in the referenced patent application that are common with issues in this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$130.00, or any other additional fee required, in connection with this filing to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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